IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Takeshi NAKATA et al. Conf. 4547

Application No. 10/589,004 Group 2893

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents January 28, 2009

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Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of July 29, 2008 for three months to January 29, 2009.

Please charge the extension fee of \$1110.00 to our credit card .

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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